



Additional Information and Resources in Colusa County

The Rural Counties' Environmental Services Joint Powers Authority provides education and outreach about used oil recycling in several counties including Colusa. Their website www.esjpa.org has a link to a list of upcoming events. This website also has an extensive list of links (click on the "Resources" tab at the top of the page) to various organizations and agencies involved with the environment in California. The contact for information about used oil programs is Program Manager, Mary Pitto, mpitto@rcrcnet.org

For an interesting snapshot of watersheds and issues in Colusa County, visit www.sacriver.org/education

The website for the Colusa County Resource Conservation District is www.colusarcd.org

The site for the Colusa County Air Pollution Control District is www.colusanet.com/apcd

The Colusa County Public Works Department holds free household hazardous waste collection events at intervals during the year. Toxics such as contaminated motor oil, spill clean-up materials, other automotive fluids, paint, batteries, fluorescent bulbs, cleaning and lawn care products, pool chemicals etc are accepted at these events. Since it is illegal to dispose of these materials in the trash, they should be stored until the next event. To learn when the next event will be, call 530/ 458-0466. Retailers of some toxic products are required by law to accept them for recycling. This includes rechargeable batteries, automotive batteries, and cell phones.